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SUBJECT: TREATY: IMPLEMENTATION OF MILITARY ASSISTANCE
ARTICLES

REF: MADRID 8037

1. DEPARTMENT'S PRINCIPAL CONCERN IN F-4/F-4E MATTER IS
THAT THE TRANSACTION BE STRUCTURED IN SUCH A WAY AS TO AVOID
ANY POSSIBILITY OF SUBSEQUENT CHARGES THAT IN FAILING TO
CONSUMMATE THE F-4E LEASE THE USG WAS BREACHING ITS
OBLIGATIONS UNDER ARTICLE X (1) OF SUPPLEMENTARY AGREEMENT
NO. ., THIS DANGER ARISES LARGELY FROM THE FACT THAT THE
F-4C SALE BY ITSELF WOULD NOT EXTINGUISH SPANISH RIGHTS
UNDER ARTICLE X (1).

2. IT WOULD SEEM TO US THAT THIS PROBLEM MAY BE SOLVED
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BY THE DEVICE OF HAVING THE SPANISH INFORM US, FORMALLY,
THAT IN CONSIDERATION OF THE F-4C SALE THE SPANISH GOVERN-
MENT 'O LONGER REGARDS THE UNITED STATES AS BOUND BY ANY
UNDERTAKING WITH RESPECT TO THE LEASE OF F-4E ARICRAFT
UNDER ARTICLE X (1) OF SUPPLEMENTARY AGREEMENT NO. 7.
SINCE THE UNITED STATES ITSELF HAS NO RIGHTS UNDER THAT
PROVISION OF THE TREATY, EXTINCTION OF SPANISH RIGHTS

THEREUNDER WOULD NOT REQUIRE, FOR OUR CONSTITUTIONAL PUR-

POSES, FORMAL AMENDMENT TO THE TREATY. AN EXCHANGE OF
NOTES, WHEREIN THE SPANISH EXPRESS SOMETHING ALONG THE FORE-
GOING LINES AND WE CONFIRM OUR UNDERSTANDING THEREOF, WOULD
BE ONE WAY OF ACHIEVING THE DESIRED RESULT. ANOTHER
ACCEPTABLE MEANS WOULD BE AN EXCHANGE OF LETTERS BETWEEN
PERMREPS ON US-SPANISH COUNCIL, AS SUGGESTED PARA (2)
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